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Rev. Father J. J. Myers Dead.  
Rev. Father J. J. Myers, pastor of St. John's Evangelist Catholic church, died Saturday morning, December 30th, at his residence in Hondo, Texas.

The deceased was a native of Ireland. He was born May 14th, 1878, at the little town of Cashel, County Tipperary. With great success he absorbed his classic studies at the famous College of Mount Mallory, Ireland. On account of his impaired health he immigrated to this country, becoming very soon a citizen of the United States. After having decided to devote his life to the service of God and the eternal salvation of souls, he entered the Ecclesiastical Seminary at Baltimore, where he took up for six years the study of Philosophy and Catholic Theology in the Latin language. Considered worthy by his ecclesiastical seniors, he was promoted to the four minor orders, and after the time of their probation had elapsed, he received the three major orders, being ordained priest in Baltimore about fifteen years ago. Since he was admitted to the diocese of St. Joseph, Mo., he was appointed assistant priest. His health failing again, he was forced to seek relief and rest at several places, particularly at Niagara Falls and Denver, Colorado. When the doctor advised him to seek a warmer climate he went to San Luis Potosi to enjoy perpetual spring weather of central Mexico. At the request of Rt. Rev. Bishop Montes y Oca he became in charge of the little American Catholic community at San Luis Potosi.

After one year he returned to Hondo and became assistant priest of H. M. J. Witz, then pastor at Hondo, Texas. In this capacity he tended to the spiritual needs of the little community of Hondo, coming every Saturday to give religious to those entrusted to his care, soon, as the result of his strenuous work and the good will of his people, the little frame chapel proved to be small for the increased attendance at Divine Worship. With the generosity of the Catholics and other friends, he succeeded in collecting necessary funds for building a larger church. St. John's Catholic Church, a nice brick edifice, was begun and finished in 1912, a long enduring monument to his faithful and enthusiastic flock. Having been appointed Rev. Bishop Shaw first pastor of the newly erected Catholic parish Hondo he strove, and to the credit of the people it must be said, succeeded in building up his parish and putting it on a strong and firm footing, enough reason for the Catholics to be proud of their untiring collaboration and accomplishments brought about in the short space of years.

The old frame chapel was turned over to the needs of the Catholics, the new building was reserved to the benefit of the same. Gradually the interior was furnished to such a degree that the Hondo Catholic Church occupied a prominent place among the churches of about the same size.

Rev. Father Myers' untiring zeal and his work, especially Sunday school, when he had to conduct in the Divine Worship, was conducive to the complete recovery of his health. Though he died other places he steadily made a change, expressing to do his life here and when came to die among the people so zealously aided him, and so after his parishioners had had him a nice and well attended service at the side of his

grave. The Libera was sung and the Bishop had given the last absolution, while the ecclesiastical hymn "In paradisum ducant te angeli" (May the angels lead thee into Paradise) was sung by the choir, the body was carried out by six priests acting as pall-bearers and placed into the hearse. With the Bishop leading the funeral cortège followed by Priests and a numerous crowd of people in buggies and automobiles, the remains were carried to the new Catholic Cemetery. In the center of it the body of the first Pastor.

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anticipation proved true. Under the attentive and skillful treatment of Mrs. M. Boyle the patient appeared to stand also this test. Until Friday afternoon no danger was imminent; he had passed even the crisis. But in the evening the doctor stated an increased heart activity and heavily beating pulse. Dangerous and alarming symptoms made their appearance, all care and remedies applied by Doctor W. H. Smith and Mrs. Boyle proved of little avail.

While Father J. Michel O. M. I. from the Theological Seminary, San Antonio, Texas, Mrs. M. Boyle and a nurse of San Antonio were standing at his bedside he breathed his last at 6:50 a. m. Saturday, Dec. 30th. While he was conscious and aware of everything, the real end, without agony, lasted only four or five minutes. The deceased leaves one brother and two married sisters at Cashel, Ireland, and two sisters, who are Nuns of the Sacred Heart Convent in Australia.

The funeral was arranged for Sunday afternoon. Rt. Rev. Bishop Shaw with a good number of Priests from San Antonio came out to conduct the funeral service in person. The body had been transferred Sunday morning after Divine Service from the residence to the Church, where it was placed in front of the Alter. In the afternoon at 2:45 the Rt. Rev. Bishop, clothed in white surplice, black stole and the white mitre on his head, proceeded with the attending clergy from the Catholic Rectory in procession to the church, where he said the prayers prescribed by the Roman Ritual before the Coffin that was adorned with the sacerdotal insignia of the deceased, then followed the office of the Dead, said alternatively by the clergy in the Latin Language. Rev. F. J. Quinn, O. M. I., pastor of St. Mary's Church, San Antonio, Texas, delivered an eloquent funeral sermon, in which he dwelt especially upon the spirit of sacrifice by which the deceased priest, in spite of his insidious disease, was always animated. The esteem in which Father Myers was held during life received a striking proof by the large attendance both of his fellow priests and people of all denominations. Also from D'Hanis, they were present in large numbers.

Rt. Rev. Bishop J. W. Shaw, the ecclesiastical Superior of the departed, paid in eloquent words the highest tribute to his dead priest, moving all hearts when he bade his last farewell to his collaborator in the vineyard of the Lord and when he in earnest and compassionate words entreated his coreligionists not to forget the deceased priest, the well merited first pastor of the Catholic Hondo parish. After

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Total rainfall, December 1916, 0.21 inch. Total for 1916, 31.12 inches; (at San Antonio reported at 27.52 inches.) Temperature, highest 78 degrees, F on 21st; lowest 22 degrees on 22nd. Rainy days, 1; clear, 18, part cloudy, 4; cloudy 9; ice on 7 days; prevailing wind N. N. W.

H. E. HAASS,  
Vol. Obs. U. S. W. B.

### Notice.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hondo Light, Power & Ice Co., of Hondo. It will be held at its office on Wednesday, Jan. 10, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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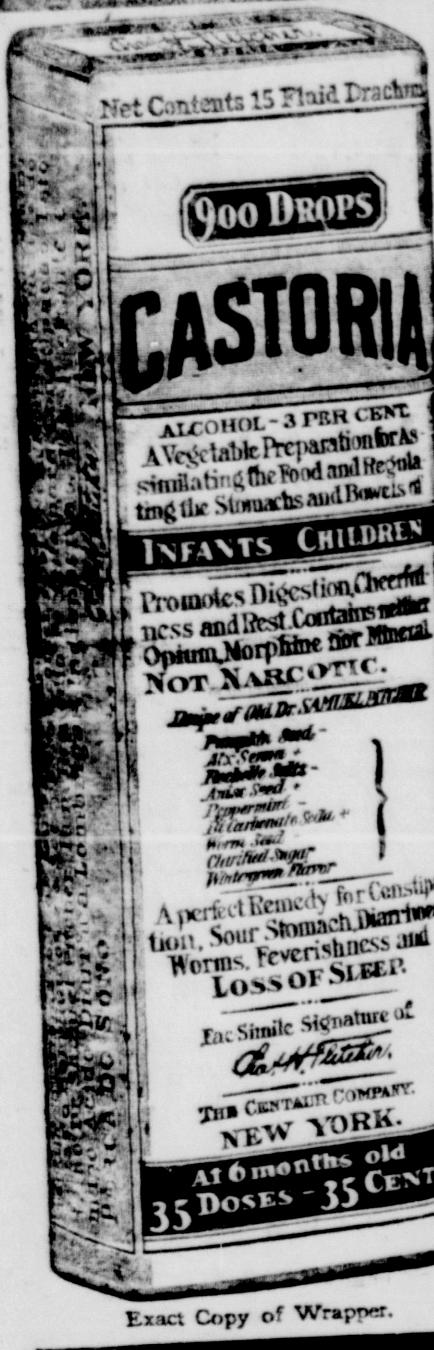
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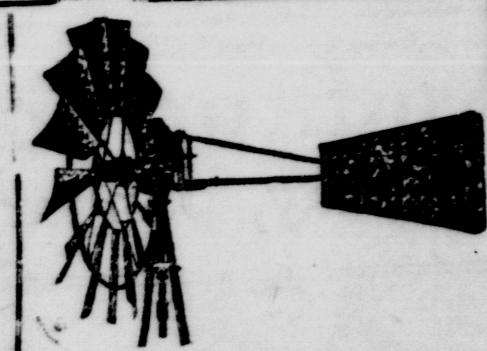
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7:30 a. m. 6:45 p. m.  
10:35 a. m. 9:45 p. m.  
11:30 a. m. 10:35 p. m.

NORTH-BOUND  
No. 2 No. 4  
5:30 p. m. 7:00 a. m.  
12:30 p. m. 12:45 a. m.  
11:40 a. m. 11:35 p. m.

Corpus Christi 11:00 a. m. 10:45 p. m.  
Kingsville 9:40 a. m. 8:40 p. m.  
Hartlingen 6:25 a. m. 5:10 p. m.  
Brownsville 5:30 a. m. 4:05 p. m.

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1. Plan your campaign with the wisdom of the serpent, conceal it with the silence of a clam, execute it with the strategy of a Machiavelli.

2. Avoid all witticism about marriage.

3. Veil with alluring helplessness the iron of self-sufficiency.

4. When a man declares "I shall never marry" mark him for easy prey.

5. Be inwardly bold as a lion; outwardly timid as a young fawn.

6. The loudest flattery is the silence of attention. When he speaks, listen. It is incense to his pride.

7. Shun the rouge pot and powder puff, for many a maid has lost out by sailing under false colors.

8. Pick out a chemical affinity. Remember, oil won't mix with water, but it will with myrrh.

9. Copy the cat, for it is squeezable; and the dove, for it coos caressingly; and the whip-poor-will, for it seems elusive.

10. Remember that the supreme test of a man is a kiss. If he will not yield under its pressure, scorn him; he is either a brute or an idiot.

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## Lion Roars, Instead of Purring, Because a Bone in His Throat is Loose

One of the most interesting discoveries made lately is that of Sir Richard Owen that the lion roars, instead of purring, simply because the hyoid bone in his throat is loose.

In the cat this bone is stationary, so that the cat purrs and cannot roar, but in the lion and tiger the hyoid is loose, and therefore even when calling to their mates the larger members of the cat family roar. The roar of the jaguar and leopard are like "horrse," barking coughs, an interval of about one second separating the expiratory efforts," says this observer. They may be easily reproduced or imitated by sawing a piece of thin board with a coarse-toothed saw. The cheetah, however, calls with a decided mew, very much like that of the cat.

R. L. Pocock, superintendent of the London zoo, explains that those of the felidae or cat family that have an elastic ligament between the ceratohyal and the upper elements of the suspensorium (lion, tiger, leopard, jaguar) roar, but never purr; while all the other species of the felidae, with normally constructed hyoids, purr, but never roar, and among these are the cheetah and puma.

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### Food for the Family.

Children delight in the novelty of this new breakfast food. Grind popcorn through the foodchopper with a few raisins and serve as a breakfast food with cream and sugar. The corn may be freshly popped or reheated in the oven.

### Cinnamon Buns.

Heat a pint of milk and cool to lukewarm, add one cupful of butter, one teaspoonful of salt, one-half a yeast cake dissolved and two quarts of flour. Let stand over night, then add two well beaten eggs, half a cupful of sugar and roll out thin, sprinkle with sugar, cinnamon and finely chopped currants, roll up and cut in slices, lay flat in a buttered pan, let rise for an hour, then bake.

### Chicken Tamales.

Take three cupfuls of cooked chicken meat, six red peppers, a quarter of a cupful of chopped onion, half a cupful of vinegar, one cupful of fine bread crumbs, one cupful of tomatoes, ten chopped olives, one egg, seasonings of salt, pepper and paprika. Chop the peppers and onion and soak in vinegar one hour. Drain and add the remaining ingredients. Shape like croquettes. Roll in cornmeal and wrap in corn husks. Tie the ends to keep the mixture in. Steam for three hours. Dry in the oven for 15 minutes. Serve hot.

### Mutton and Carrot Stew.

A small amount of meat will serve 5 or 6 and give them a most satisfying meal. Take a pound of mutton free from bones or cut it, leaving in small bones, in serving sized pieces. Brown in a little fat, add a half an onion finely chopped, and cook until well browned, season and roll in flour or dredge with flour. When this is browned add a pint or more of finely shredded carrots, add boiling water and simmer for two hours on the back part of the stove. A small piece of meat with a generous helping of carrots with a boiled or baked potato will make a wholesome main dish for the meal.

## Nellie Maxwell

### Japs as Sugar Barons.

The sugar production of Formosa has risen since the island was taken over by the Japanese in 1895 from 75,000 to 350,000 tons annually. Millions of dollars have been invested by Japanese in sugar mills in Formosa, and the war has further stimulated the trade in sugar there. According to the Manchuria Daily News, 31,000 tons of Formosa sugar are to be sent to Australia, 3,000 tons to Hongkong, 15,000 tons to Canada, and 25,000 tons to India, China, Manchuria and Korea.

Because of the danger from snow-slides at the surface of the ground the air compressing machinery of a Colorado mine has been installed at a depth of 1,200 feet.

### Bridge Over Fives Miles Long.

San Francisco is planning to build the greatest bridge in the world. It is to connect Oakland and its contiguous districts with San Francisco, and is to relieve five ferry systems of passenger and vehicular traffic. The proposed bridge will cost \$22,000,000 and will be five and one-half miles long. It will be one of the heaviest bridges ever built, carrying three roadways and four railroad tracks. Its main portion is to be made up of 16 spans, each 250 feet long. Near the San Francisco shore there will be two long and high spans under which the ships will pass.—Popular Science Monthly.

It is easy to see, hard to foresee.

The Golden East Does Not Affect The East. Its tonic and laxative effect, LAX-FOS, is better than ordinary laxatives, and not only nervousness but also the gripes are over the full name you will find in the book by E. W. GROVE, 25c.

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Lax-Fos, A Mild, Effective Laxative & Liver Tonic. Does Not Grip or Disturb the Stomach. In addition to other properties, Lax-Fos contains Cascara, in acceptable form, a stimulating Laxative and Tonic. Lax-Fos acts effectively and does not gripe nor disturb stomach. At the same time, it aids digestion, arouses the liver and secretions and restores the healthy functions. 50c.

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# The First Order!

That's the one we are anxious to get. We will take our chances on getting the next, and the next and the next.

Of course we are betting on a "sure thing," for we know our goods and service will please you. Therefore we urge you to send us a trial order.

Kuntz-Flint Lumber Co., Hondo, Tex.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Get it at Windrow's.  
Ammunition. Holloway Bros.  
Suits to suit at S. G. Carter's. 12  
Cooking stoves. Holloway Bros.  
Heating stoves. Holloway Bros.  
Sausage grinders. Holloway Bros.  
Phone us when in need of job printing.  
Mr. Haby was over from Dunkley  
Wednesday.

John Zuberhauer of Dunkley was  
here Wednesday.

Go to Carter's for first-class Cleaning,  
Dyeing and Pressing.

H. G. Hardt of Yancey was a visitor  
in Hondo Wednesday.

R. A. Haegelin was a business visitor  
in San Antonio Wednesday.

Joe Monkhouse is visiting his sister,  
Mrs. W. T. Ford, near Wichita Falls.

The Hondo public schools resumed  
work Tuesday, after a two weeks'  
holiday.

Emil Schueers and sister, Miss  
Ella, left for Fredericksburg last  
week-end.

If you have your old car for sale  
come and see us. We can place it for  
you. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

We are still on the market for all  
kinds of produce. Phone 200 or see  
us. L. Barrientes and Sons. 23-tf.

George J. Bendele returned to San  
Marcos Wednesday where he will resume  
his studies at Baptist Academy.

## Let Us Fill Your



### Grocery Order

We have everything usually  
carried in a first-class family

#### GROCERY STORE

Our goods are nice and fresh  
and are sold at moderate  
prices. Ring

#### Telephone No. 201

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#### Slater Bros. GROCERS

We have a fullline of the celebrated  
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# A Matter of Business

Will you trade with us if  
we make it to your  
interest?

Our business is based on a knowledge of this fact. Our stock is bought with a view to doing just that thing—give the most and best for your money.

We believe we are fully prepared to carry out this purpose on every thing you buy from us. Anyway—

We guarantee that the man who undersells us will never get rich off the sales he makes.

Are you open to conviction? Then come and see us.

**Hondo Mercantile Co.**

Sausage stuffers. Holloway Bros.  
Sausage stuffers. Holloway Bros.  
Local advertisements pay. Try it.  
Bargains in tailored suits at The  
City Tailor Shop.

Mrs. Effie Sanders is here from San  
Antonio on a visit to relatives.

Miss Minna Huffmeyer of San Antonio  
is visiting Mrs. Hy. Merriman.

Alex Marquis of Tarpley was a  
business caller at this office yesterday.

Harry Taylor has returned to his  
studies in the Baptist Academy at San  
Marcos.

Frank Jungman is in Houston to  
again take up his studies in Rice Institute.

See Ben Miller for Paer Burning  
Gasoline and other oils at Carle's  
Tailor Shop. 19

Willie Bendele was over from Dun-  
ley Thursday and paid this office a  
business call.

Mrs. Henry Merriman and Miss  
Annie Merriman are back from a visit to  
San Antonio.

Ring phone 200 for your fruits and  
vegetables. We deliver at any time.

L. Barrientes & Sons. 23-tf.

Emmett and Elbert de Montel are  
again at College Station to take up  
their work at A. & M.

Clarence Van Fleet, after spending  
a portion of the holiday season at San  
Marcos is home again.

Stanton McGary left on the " jitney" Tuesday  
morning to resume his studies at  
Coronado in San Marcos.

Herbert Decker has returned to his  
school work at San Marcos having left  
for that city Wednesday.

John Callahan and bride, nee Miss  
Rosa Payne, arrived from Silsbee on  
the noon train last Saturday.

Ernest Fusselman left Wednesday  
for San Marcos to again take up his  
studies in Baptist Academy.

Let the City Tailor Shop clean and  
press your suit. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Carload shipments into Hondo for  
the past week were as follows: 1 car  
of oil, 1 of beer and two of coal.

Joc Pichot and family, after spending  
the holidays here with relatives,  
returned to their home at Seguin  
Tuesday.

If you would be neatly and correctly  
dressed let Geo. Carle of The City  
Tailor Shop take your measure for a  
new suit.

Sterling Fly was a " jitney" passenger  
Tuesday en route to Dallas to  
again take up his studies in the S. M.  
U. of that city.

Miss Leila Laughinghouse is again  
in San Marcos after spending the  
holidays with home-folks. Miss Leila  
is attending the Normal.

Judge Burney passed through Hondo  
Sunday en route to Leakey to hold  
court. He was joined here by Dis-  
trict Attorney L. J. Brucks.

Mrs. W. E. Mackey, after spending  
the holidays here with her daughter,  
Mrs. Roswell Ward, returned to her  
home in Luling Wednesday.

Cleaning and pressing neatly and  
correctly done and deliveries promptly  
made when you let The City Tailor  
Shop do your tailoring. Geo. Carle Jr.

We guarantee our work. Get your  
work done here and get tickets on  
Ford. We have the best mechanics  
that money can hire. Hondo Auto  
Sales Co.

Prof. T. C. Hickman, Superintendent  
of the Yancey school, was in  
Hondo Tuesday. Prof. Hickman says  
the school work will again begin Mon-  
day, the 8th.

H. E. Haas, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's  
Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully  
attended to, in all courts of Texas.  
Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

Just received, a supply of Columbia  
Batteries—cost less, lasts longer—for  
your phone, gas engine, auto, etc.  
Give them a trial. Citizen's Motor  
Car Co., phone 151, Weyland Bros.  
Proprietors. 11

Below we give the figures from the  
time he began keeping them:

Mrs. Chas. Peden Gains 27  
pounds.

Twice Examined and Each Time Told  
Operation was Only Hope.

"I have just finished my third bottle  
of Tanlac and have gained twenty-  
seven pounds," was the truly remark-  
able statement made by Mrs. Charles  
Peden, residing at 550 Mill street,  
Huntsville, Ala. Mrs. Peden is one  
of the best known and highly respect-  
ed women of that thriving little city,  
where she has made her home for a  
number of years.

"When I commenced taking the  
medicine," she continued, "I only  
weighed ninety-eight (98) pounds;  
now I weigh 125 pounds, and never  
felt better in my life. For years I  
have suffered with a bad form of  
stomach trouble, constipation and  
pains in my side and back. At times  
the pains took the form of torture  
and I was twice examined and each  
time I was told that I had appendicitis  
and that an operation would be my  
only hope. I had fallen off until I  
only weighed ninety-eight pounds and  
was so weak I could hardly get around.

"I had no appetite at all scarcely,  
and what little I did eat would cause  
gas to form in my stomach, which  
gave me palpitation of the heart, sick  
headaches and a dizzy feeling about  
the head. When these spells came on  
me I would get awfully nervous. I  
worried about myself until I could rest  
and sleep but little.

"I had fallen off until I was almost  
skin and bones, and my strength and  
energy were slowly leaving me. I  
had a dread of the future and could  
see nothing but the operating table  
and the knife. I had a perfect horror  
of an operation, but I had made up  
my mind that it was either life or  
death, and prepared to submit to it.

I had made all preparations for the  
operation and called on my sister to  
tell her good-bye, as I did not know  
whether I would live to see her again  
or not. My sister begged and pleaded  
with me not to allow them to cut on  
me and told me to wait and try a good  
tonic for a while. The next day I re-  
turned, for the condition was so bad  
I thought of what she said and as I had  
heard so much about Tanlac I decided  
to try it as a last resort and stopped  
at Gilbert's Drug Store and got a bottle.

"Of course, I had lost heart and  
had no faith in the medicine, but to  
please my sister I made up my mind to  
take it, and, oh, what a happy day  
that was for me!

"I never returned for the opera-  
tion, but just kept taking the Tanlac.  
Right from the start I began to feel  
better. The medicine seemed to take  
hold right at once. It had a soothing  
effect, and in a few days I felt no pain  
at all. I was so happy over the won-  
derful improvement in my condition  
that I sent for my neighbors to tell  
them how much better I felt. I sent  
and got another bottle of Tanlac, and  
have just finished taking my third  
bottle and feel like I have been made  
all over again into a new woman.

"As I have said before, I now  
weigh 125 pounds, and my improve-  
ment has been so rapid that none of  
my clothes are big enough for me. I  
will have to make them all over again.  
I now have a ravenous appetite, and  
my husband says I am simply eating  
him out of house and home. I have  
even gone back to my coffee, which I  
was told not to touch. Those terrible  
pains in my back and head have all  
disappeared and I sleep like a child.  
I am no longer nervous, and when I  
get up in the morning I feel refreshed,  
cheerful and bright. I am now able  
to attend to my household duties, and  
I feel as if I had started life all over  
again. My husband is highly delighted,  
and my recovery is the talk of the  
neighborhood. I do nothing but  
rejoice all day long over the recovery of  
my health and praise Tanlac to every-  
one.

"I feel so grateful for my escape  
from the operating table and the  
knife that you may publish what I  
have said; you may, if you wish, tell  
other women suffering as I was, to  
come and see me and I will be glad to  
tell them all about my case."

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by W. H.  
Windrow.

### Rainfall at Hondo.

Judge Herman E. Haas, who is  
the government weather observer  
at this point, has kept a record of the  
annual rainfall for the past several  
years.

Below we give the figures from the  
time he began keeping them:

Total rainfall 1899	23.17.
Total rainfall 1900	38.67.
Total rainfall 1901	17.46.
Total rainfall 1902	25.68.
Total rainfall 1903	36.91.
Total rainfall 1904	28.97.
Total rainfall 1905	33.47.
Total rainfall 1906	31.65.
Total rainfall 1907	32.87.
Total rainfall 1908	28.89.
Total rainfall 1909	17.54.
Total rainfall 1910	18.04.
Total rainfall 1911	22.45.
Total rainfall 1912	31.45.
Total rainfall 1913	34.23.
Total rainfall 1914	28.14.
Total rainfall 1915	26.64.
Total rainfall 1916	31.12.

Average for past 18 years, 26.61.

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towards perfect health is by  
way of pure drugs. And  
you are sure to get them  
pure and right if you buy  
them from this store. We  
have been in business here  
a good long time and we  
have established a reputa-  
tion for reliability in the drug line vouched for by the  
leading physicians.

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Rexal Headquarters

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Of breeding BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS, I  
am offering my individual selection of PUR-  
PLE BLOOD HENS for sale at only \$1.00 each. The  
best blood from the prize-winning Owen Farms of  
Massachusetts is in their veins and no better hens  
are to be had any where. Don't wait; apply now.

----- **Mrs. Fletcher Davis, Hondo, Texas**

Have You Ordered Your Xmas

## Suit or Overcoat

Don't wait until Xmas comes but  
come in today and select what best  
uits your

Individual Tastes and Re-  
quirements

and be measured.

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Buy Your Dry Goods, Shoes,  
Clothing, Hats, Groceries,  
Etc., From

## C. J. BLESS

AND SAVE MONEY

A small amount saved on each purchase  
amounts to many dollars each season. He  
sets the standard for HIGH QUALITY and  
LOW PRICES. Prompt Delivery to any  
part of the city. Give him a trial order.

## Telephone No. 42

## BE A WELL DRESSED MAN--

The well dressed man has his clothes  
made to measure. We make a specialty  
of catering to the well dressed class and  
have an attractive line of the best

## FALL AND WINTER SAMPLES

now on display. Remember, we do first  
class Cleaning and Pressing.

## CITY TAILOR SHOP

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White Pine and Spruce Balsam



you want to rid them of their cough quickly and permanently. This reliable Cough Syrup is a favorite with mothers all over the country because it relieves the inflammation of the air passages and quickly banishes the cough.

Only the finest ingredients are used in Penslar White Pine and Spruce Balsam, some of these being white pine bark, spruce gum, tamarac bark, wild cherry and pure cane sugar.

Get a bottle to-day and avoid serious complications.

Two sizes, plain or mentholated

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munition. Holloway Bros. image grinders. Holloway Bros. shysters at Heyen's restaur- 23-tf.

at the New York Lunch Room. 23-tf. for ladies. tf

P. Ross was down from Tarpley 19 on business.

service, buy Goodyear tires. 7-tf. 23-tf.

kinds of good things to eat at Heyen's restaurant. 23-tf.

D. Reinhart was here from D'

Wednesday on business.

Ireland, a stockman from 19

de, was in town yesterday.

Ben Miller for Pear Burning

line and other oils at Carle's Tailor

Shop. 19

sale—300 acres. Will sell either

or farm land. Apply to Lee

it, Hondo. 7-tf.

ge shipment of Goodyear tires,

and supplies just in. See them

Garage.

the Anvil Herald to your rela-

and friends elsewhere. It will be

only news-letter to them.

er Coleman of Sabinal will preach

Church of Christ Sunday morn-

11 o'clock. Everybody invited.

us your casings with blow-

and if they are worth repairing

till you so. Citizens' Motor

Co.

ms. Jno. T. Briscoe and Mack

neville, two attorneys from De-

were here this week attending

Court.

s. A. Goza, who went to De-

to spend the holidays with rela-

there, is reported seriously ill

pneumonia.

s. C. H. Brewster, after a visit

daughter, Mrs. Henry Merr-

returned to her home in San

no yesterday.

Smith Fly is again in Galveston,

he is taking the course in

medicine at the medical branch of

State University.

load shipments forwarded from

we were rather light for the past

but four cars being forwarded,

3 cars of feed and 1 of cat-

the holidays being followed by sick-

in our office force has delayed

jobs and handicapped our work

aderably, but we hope to soon be

up again.

First class electricians and ex-

perienced helpers wanted, open shop,

wages, steady work, MARTIN

ELECTRIC CO., 308 E. Hous-

Street, San Antonio, Tex. 23-2t.

arry Taylor got more enjoyment

of the holidays than most any one

He got his first big buck just

the close of the hunting season

regaled his friends with some

venison cuts.

iss Alma Beckmeyer, daughter of

and Mrs. Beckmeyer, well known

Hondo, passed through here Tues-

en route to San Antonio, after

spending a portion of the holidays

in Miss Alice Hardt at Yancey.

There will be a public installation of

ers of Live Oak Camp W. O. W.,

2300, at D'Hanis Saturday night,

January 13th, and a grand dance for

the benefit of the Lodge at the Sons

of Herman Hall immediately follow-

ing the installation. Every body cor-

2t.

Let Carter do your dyeing.  
The Anvil Herald, \$1 a year.

For Sale—Gentle horse and good

surrey. Prices reasonable. Inquire

at this office. 17-tf.

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ed Red Polled Bull. Apply to August

Bessie talk, Yancey, Texas. 22-4t.

Get Edwin F. Bunde to put up your

windmills and gasoline engines. All

work guaranteed satisfactory. 14-tf.

For Good Red Apples, Oranges,

Lemons and Bananas at lowest prices,

see Earrings or ring phone 200. 20-tf.

Renken & Kilborn are out at Knip-

pa this week completing the roof and

ceiling of J. S. Minkhouse's new

store.

Found—On Hondo D'Hanis road an

auto glove. Whoever have same by

calling at this office and paying for

this notice.

Remember, we have a full line of

the renowned Goodyear tires and ac-

cessories. Yours for service, Citizens' Motor Car Co.

Come and see the mid-season sale

and combination bags, also a new line of

collars and cuffs at Haralson's

Millinery shop. 23-4t.

Miss Hazel Brown is again in San

Marcos attending school, her father,

F. A. Brown, accompanying her as

far as San Antonio.

Mrs. Harold Baldwin and baby re-

turned to Sabinal Wednesday after

several days spent in Hondo, the

guest of Mrs. J. N. Doway.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cline, after a

visit here to Mrs. Cline's parents,

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pike, returned to

their home at Welsh, La., Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Davenport and sister, Miss

Nanna Smith, after a short visit to

their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T.

Smith, returned to their home in San

Antonio Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Gaines left New Year's

Day for Maxwell to re-open her school

She was accompanied as far as San

Antonio by her sisters, Misses Clara

and Una Ellen Gaines.

For Sale—658 acres, known as the

old Joe Burrell place, three miles west

of Dunlap. 71 acres in field, good

house, good tank. For price and

terms see Jacob Burrell, Castroville.

Dr. B. C. Tharp, Plant Pathologist

of the State Department of Agriculture,

arrived here Thursday and to-

gether with Fletcher Davis, is on the

job of filling the itinerary published

elsewhere in this issue.

C. H. Rohlf, the windmill man,

put up a 3140-gallon cypress tank for

Robt. Saathoff the third week in Dec.

and put up a 2024-gallon cypress tank,

laid 700 feet of pipe and put up a

windmill for Chas. Britsch of Bandera

County, also repaired a windmill for

John Muennink the last week in Dec.

J. F. Dilworth, bookkeeper at the

First National Bank, is nursing a sore

hand as the result of getting it caught

in his auto chain. He was attempting

to put the mud chains on his auto

when the accident occurred. One of

the fingers of his left hand was terri-

ble lacerated and will trouble him for

sometime to come.

Mimke Saathoff was down from

Tarpley yesterday and in the course of

conversation told us of a rapid trip he

made Christmas Day. Early that

morning he received word that his

daughter, Mrs. W. B. Woods of Street-

er, Mason county, was critically ill.

His car was in Hondo and had to be

telephoned for. The run from Hondo

to Tarpley was made in 1 hour and 15

minutes; he and Mrs. S. left Tarpley

about mid-day and were at Streeter a

few minutes after 6:00 in the evening.

He reports Mrs. Woods much improved.

Mr. Saathoff is kicking now because

Mrs. Saathoff does not come on home,

complaining that he has to get up in

these cold mornings and make a fire

himself.

Mail orders promptly attended to.

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## EDUCATIONAL COLUMN

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W. N. SAATHOFF  
And the University Department of Extension

### The Danger of Dirty Mouths.

The human mouth has been styled "The gateway of health or disease." The germs of most preventable diseases enter the body through the mouth; and the teeth of many mouths are so unclean and decayed that each bite of clean food they chew and swallow is filled with millions of disease germs. Among the diseases that are largely attributable to decayed teeth are chronic indigestion, heart disease, kidney disease, rheumatism, hardening of the arteries, pneumonia, and tuberculosis. The health of the nation demands that people shall have a better understanding of the importance of clean teeth.

The time to set up a better health program is while the body is young and free from diseases. Many city schools are giving much attention to mouth hygiene. Recent data collected in Cleveland, Ohio, show that there exists an intimate association between the class standing and the health of the mouths of children. Incorrigible, inattentive and stupid children have become normal, well-behaved, bright, and studious after their mouths received proper treatment. Many results of dental treatment have been little short of marvelous.

In a small Texas town, the superintendent, trustees, patrons, and an efficient young dentist co-operated to give the children of their school free, sanitary, dental inspection. After each child's mouth was examined, he was given a dental inspection card containing a record of the condition of his teeth. The same card contained a note to parents asking them for further co-operation with the school to give the children a better chance to grow up healthy and strong in mind and body by having their mouths attended to. The parents were glad to do this. This form of health inspection has now been carried on in this school for six years with results that have made for better health and better students. What are you doing for health inspection in your school?

Teacher, are you teaching mummified, textbook physiology, or are you establishing among your pupils intelligent and diligent habits of how to get well and keep well?—Division of School Interests, University of Texas.

Eighty-Seven Years Old.

H. H. Adams, Springfield, Mo., writes: "I had a severe attack of kidney trouble. I am getting old, 87 years. I tried different treatments, but none did me so much good as Foley Kidney Pills." Foley Kidney Pills build up weakened kidneys, help rid the blood of acids and poisons, and relieve bladder troubles. Sold everywhere and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

In a discreet man's mouth a publick thing is private.

### LaCoste Ledger Locals.

Master Otto Echtle was born in Red Bluff, California, Jan. 19, 1903. He died on the Zinsmeyer farm near LaCoste Dec. 26, 1916, following the effects of a gun shot wound inflicted accidentally into his foot while getting ready for a hunt, Dec. 18, and he was therefore but 13 years, 11 months and 7 days old when the angel of death called him to his eternal reward. He was the oldest living son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Echtle, an older brother having died in infancy. His mortal remains were laid to rest in St. Mary's Cemetery, Rev. Father John Heinzmeyer performed the last rites of the church. A large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives followed his body to its last resting place.

Adam and Mangold delivered a Chevrolet to Henry Bailer of Hondo Tuesday.

John P. Hawkes and Sam Chrisco from Kingsbury spent the holidays with relatives here.

Daniel Christilles of San Antonio is visiting home-folks here.

Messrs. Joe Adam and Howard Mangold were business visitors at Hondo Thursday.

Miss Clara Lutz, who has been staying with the Misses Mangold, left for D'Hanis Wednesday.

W. A. Luckenbach and daughters, Nettie and Katherine, were visiting relatives and friends in San Antonio Saturday.

Miss Helen Jungmann, who is teaching school at Rio Medina, is spending the holidays with homefolks.

Frank Hauck of Orange Grove, Texas, and Joe Tschirhart Sr. of Noonan were visiting friends here Christmas day.

Edmund Geiger and family from Pearsall spent Christmas with relatives here and at Castroville.

Misses Helen Schmitz and Amelie Schuch of San Antonio spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ihnken at the Fent Valley Ranch.

Messrs. Eugene Kehler and Herman Jungman, who are attending school at St. Louis College, came home to spend the holidays with their parents.

Mrs. A. W. Corley from Sutton, West Va., arrived here Friday to spend several months with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hawkes and baby from Weimer spent Christmas with W. H. Hawkes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Morris and father-in-law, Valentin Mann, of Hondo and Mrs. Joe Naegelin of Castroville paid a visit to the Rabbit Ranch Sunday.

### What to Do For Bad Colds.

If you want a cough medicine that gives quick and sure action in healing colds, coughs or croup, get Foley's Honey and Tar. It heals inflamed membranes in throat, chest or bronchial tubes; breaks up tight coughs, loosens phlegm, makes breathing easier, stops tickling in throat. Contains no opiates. Sold everywhere and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

Diligence is the mother of good luck.

### This—And Five Cents!

Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose five cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sold everywhere and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

Do not do that which you would not have known.

### Constipation Causes Bad Skin.

A dull and pimply skin is due to a sluggish bowel movement. Correct this condition and clear your complexion with Dr. King's New Life Pills. This mild laxative taken at bedtime will assure you a full, free, non-gripping movement in the morning. Drive out the dull, listless feeling resulting from overloaded intestines and sluggish liver. Get a bottle to-day. At all Druggists, 25c.

Love and Lordship hate companions.

### Stomach Trouble Cured.

If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Tablets. Mr. J. P. Klotz of Edina, Mo., says: "I have used a great many different medicines for stomach trouble, but find Chamberlain's Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used." For sale by All Dealers.

### \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Cancer. Hall's Cancer Cure is the only cure known to date. Cancer, being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Cancer Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting him in his recovery. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### A Surprise.

On the 26th, Mr. and Mrs. George Heyen were pleasantly surprised by the Members of the Quibi Frauen-Verein with their families and several other friends.

The surprise was planned by the Frauen-Verein to show their appreciation to Mr. George Heyen for the many kind services that he had rendered them.

A large bundle containing a golden eagle with Five D. on it was presented by Rev. Aug. Beteit, who in his impressive way tried to explain to the recipient what the surprise was for.

Cakes, sandwiches, coffee and Port wine were served as refreshments and the air was filled with the aroma of Havanas.

Songs were sung and the time was enjoyed by one and all.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Heyen, Rev. and Mrs. Aug. Beteit and little Sophie Alice, Christian Oefinger and family, Henry

Scweme Jr. and family, Albert Eckhardt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heyen Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Oefinger and daughter, Elsa, Mr. and Mrs. Loebbe Bochle, Wm. Sasthoff and family, Jacob Oefinger and family, Harm Gerdes and family, Mesquines John Schweers, John Sasthoff and Henry Heyen; Messrs. Oscar Bader, George Schweers, John Balzen and Ernest Nienhofer; Misses Annie and Emma Nienhofer, Olga Schweers and Della Oefinger.

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### SOME SMILES



Sensible Girl.  
"What first attracted you to Miss Flibber?"

"She seemed able to talk about moving-picture actors in an ordinary tone of voice without excessive emotion."

"Well! Well!"

"So I thought a chap without curly hair and a dimple in his chin might hope to become popular with a girl like that."

### A Quieting Effect.

"This orator made use of a great many quotations from the classics."

"So he did."

"Do you suppose that has any effect on the average voter?"

"I don't know, but it may have affected his hearers tonight in one way."

"How was that?"

"Well, you know quotations from the classics have a soporific effect on a great many people. Maybe those who were here went away so tranquilized and sleepy that they would rather go to bed than sit up and find fault with the speaker's arguments."

### Might Have Been Worse.

"How did you enjoy your trip through the South?"

"Oh, we had fewer hardships than I expected," replied the motor tourist. "While there was a woeful lack of roadhouses and most of the towns were 'dry,' I discovered out in the rural districts that I could get all the liquor I could drink by laying a dollar on a designated stump and hootinging three times like an owl."

### Strong Proof.

"I thought you said Glithers was not an optimist."

"So I did."

"Nonsense! He started out yesterday to make a transcontinental trip in a second-hand automobile."



In Mourning.  
A gentleman of the old school, evidently."

"Quite so. When the drastic prohibition law went into effect, what do you suppose he did?"

"I can't imagine."

"Rather than fill his wine cellar with grapejuice and soda 'pop' he nailed it up and tied a piece of crepe to the door."

### Mixing With One's Fellows.

"Pretty soft for those millionaires who travel to and from their New York offices in private yachts."

"Maybe so," replied the gregarious individual, "but I dare say you will find more real sociability on the rear platform of a trolley car."

### Horrifying the Family.

Uncle Ben liked saws, and frequently repeated them in the presence of children. One day the minister came to dinner, and as is the custom of some people, devoted a part of his conversation to the children, taking great delight in teasing Sammie.

"Sammie," he said, "I saw you spending your money very foolishly this afternoon. Now, suppose you were to see me standing at the corner throwing away my money on the ice cream man, what would you say?"

"I'd say there is no fool like an old fool," said Sammie, to the horror of his family.

P. A. puts new joy into the sport of smoking!

YOU may live to be 110 and never feel old enough to vote, but it's certain—sure you'll not know the joy and contentment of a friendly old Jimmy pipe or a hand rolled cigarette unless you get on talking-terms with Prince Albert tobacco!

P. A. comes to you with a real reason for all the goodness and satisfaction it offers. It is made by a patented process that removes bite and parch! You can smoke it long and hard without a come-back! Prince Albert has always been sold without coupons or premiums. We prefer to give quality.

Prince Albert affords the keenest pipe and cigarette enjoyment! And that flavor and fragrance and coolness is as good as that sounds. P. A. just answers the universal demand for tobacco without bite, parch or kick-back!

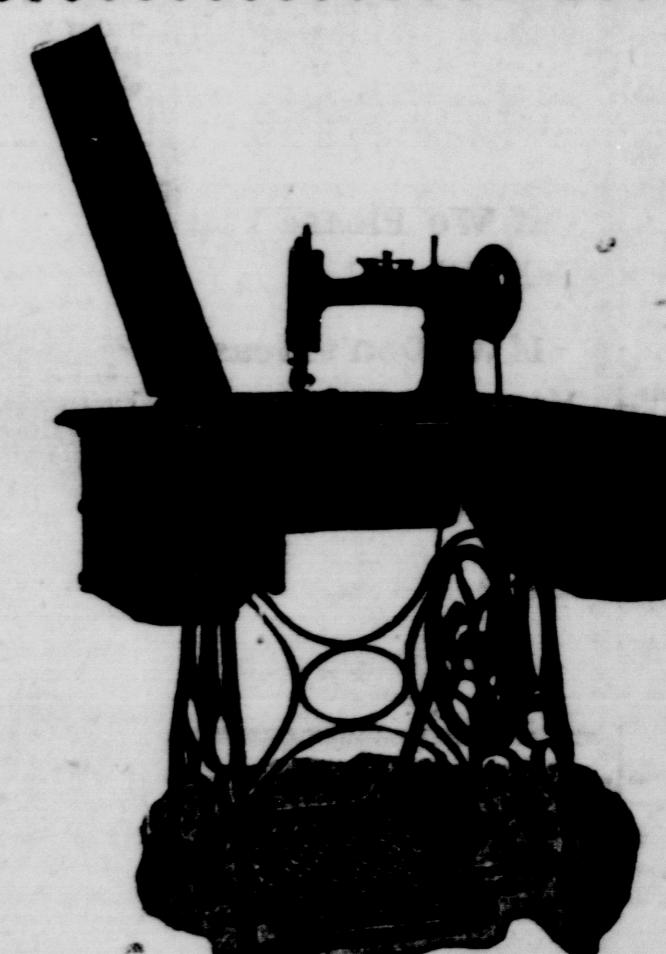
Introduction to Prince Albert isn't any harder than to walk into the nearest place that sells tobacco and ask for "a supply of P. A." You pay out a little change, to be sure, but it's the cheer-fullest investment you ever made!

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Used only a short time and good as new, for sale for the low price of

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Agent for Castroville.

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is authorized to collect and receipt for  
any dues this paper and to whom it is as  
signed for this page should be submitted.

J. C. and Fred Jagge, John W.  
Harry Hans and Ed. Poerner of  
Leipol, bound on a hunt.

Christmas ball given at Wern-  
er's Opera House on Tuesday night  
largely attended and very much  
enjoyed. The best of order prevailed.

George H. E. Haas of Hondo was in  
midst Wednesday on business.

Miss Mauer, Manufacturer of Hand  
Cigars, formerly of this place,  
now of Seguin, and son, Joe,  
mingling with their many friends  
the last few days.

Razzing weather has been prevail-  
ing for the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cobb have re-  
turned to Winters after a month's  
stay with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris and Val. Mann  
Hondo visited Joe Naegelin Sr.  
during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart and children  
Noonan visited here New Year's

Almond Kellner and family and Miss  
Conrad of Lacoste visited here  
yesterday.

Miss Pauline Vollmer of San Antonio  
spent New Year's day here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyer and  
children of Dunlap visited here Mon-  
day evening.

Miss Alma and Elvira Wurzbach  
turned from a week's visit to Mr.  
and Mrs. Alex Boehme in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Haegelin and  
daughter, Miss Pauline Haegelin,  
Hondo visited here during the holi-  
days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Maenink and  
Miss Nora Tondre of Hondo visited  
here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bendele and  
children of Biri visited here during  
the week.

Messrs. Augustus C. Rothe, John  
Rothe and Joe and Claude Courard  
were through here Saturday evening  
from Seco where they succeeded in kill-  
ing two large bucks.

Miss Emma Rinn is on the sick list  
this week.

Miss Agnes Zinsmeyer of Dilley  
visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tschirhart  
the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Koch of  
San Antonio spent the holidays here,  
visitors of Mrs. Koch's mother, Mrs.  
Anna Boehme.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawk and two  
children of Orange Grove spent the  
week here with Mr. and Mrs. Joe  
Tschirhart Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Zuercher visited  
relatives and friends in Lacoste during  
the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wurzbach of  
Cliff visited here during the holidays.

Miss Annie Haby of Red Wing visit-  
ed here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tondre are en-  
tertaining dear little baby girl since  
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frick and little  
daughter, Doris, of Eagle Pass and  
Mrs. Chas. Rechel and Miss Mary  
Kappensbach of San Antonio spent  
Friday here, guests of Mr. and Mrs.  
Louis Scherrer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Steinle return-  
ed to their home in Jourdanton after a  
pleasant visit here to relatives and  
friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schuchart of  
Cliff attended the Christmas dance  
here.

Miss Amelia Schuehle of New  
Mexico is the guest of Mr. and Mrs.  
Albert Ihnen.

Harry Steinle returned to Jourdanton  
after a visit to his parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Henry Steinle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watters and L.  
W. Schiedemantel returned to San  
Antonio Friday after a visit here and  
at Hondo.

Henry Weynand and Oscar Etter of  
San Antonio spent last week-end here  
with relatives.

Mrs. August Mangold visited Mrs.  
Gas. Keller in Lacoste during the  
week.

Mr. and Mrs. August Bilhartz and  
children have returned to their home  
in Pearsall after a week's visit here  
to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Ahr and son  
of Lacoste visited Mrs. Louie Ahr  
during the holidays.

Oto Naegelin of Lacoste visited  
homefolks here Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weynand of  
D'Hanis visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack  
Rinn during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schuchart of San  
Antonio spent the holidays with Mr.  
and Mrs. Louie Wurzbach.

Miss Alma Wurzbach spent the  
week-end in San Antonio, the guest of  
Mr. and Mrs. Alex Boehme.

Castroville, Jan. 2, 1917.

Here comes Courage! that seized  
the lion absent, and ran away from  
the present mouse.

## WHAT IS URIC ACID?

The Cause of Backache, Rheumatism,  
Gravel and Sudden Death.

Ever since the discovery of uric acid in  
the blood by Schele in 1775, and the bad  
effect it had upon the body, scientists and  
physicians have striven to rid the tissues  
and the blood of this poison. Because of  
its over-abundance in the system it causes  
backache, pains here and there, rheu-  
matism, gout, lumbago, neuralgia and  
arthritis. It was Dr. Pierce who discov-  
ered a new agent, called "Anuric" which  
will throw out and completely eradicate  
this uric acid from the system. He found  
"Anuric" 37 times more potent than lithia,  
and consequently you need no longer hold  
the body. Send Dr. Pierce, of the In-  
nals' Hotel and Surgical Institute,  
Buffalo, N. Y., 10 cents for a large trial  
package of "Anuric" Tablets, or obtain  
a 50c. package now at your druggist's.

### Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Miss Gladys Hubbard was brides-  
maid at the wedding of Prof. B. F.  
Harrison and Miss Nelia Frances  
Davidson at Hondo Saturday night.

Miss Irene Hudspeth and brother,  
Martin Hudspeth, of Hondo spent  
Tuesday and Wednesday in Sabinal,  
guests of the editor's family.

Mr. A. Albrecht and family will  
move to D'Hanis next month. His  
oldest son will have charge of the  
ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Marks celebrated  
their thirtieth wedding anniversary  
Sunday. Mr. L. Marks, a brother of  
Mr. B. Marks, and wife of San Antonio  
and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hirsh of  
Seguin were out on a visit and left  
Tuesday morning.

Mrs. L. C. Honegger arrived yester-  
day from Dallas on a visit.

Rev. Ball of Yancey preached here  
Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Sarah Wyatt went to Hondo  
Saturday to spend Christmas with her  
grandmother.

### Bad Habits.

Those who breakfast at eight o'clock  
or later, lunch at twelve and have dinner  
at six are almost certain to be  
troubled with indigestion. They do  
not allow time for one meal to digest  
before taking another. Not less than  
five hours should elapse between  
meals. If you are troubled with indi-  
gestion correct your habits and take  
Chamberlain's Tablets, and you may  
reasonably hope for quick recovery.  
These tablets strengthen the stomach  
and enable it to perform its functions  
naturally. Obtainable everywhere.

There's more old drunkards, than  
old doctors.

### The Habit of Taking Cold.

With many people taking cold is a  
habit, but fortunately one that is  
easily broken. Take a cold sponge  
bath every morning when you first get  
out of bed—not ice cold, but a temper-  
ature of about 90° F. Also sleep with  
your window up. Do this and you will  
seldom take cold. When you do take  
cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy  
and get rid of it as quickly as  
possible. Obtainable everywhere.

Admiration is the daughter of  
ignorance.

### Winter Brings Colds To Children.

A child rarely goes through the  
winter without a cold, and every  
mother should have a reliable remedy  
handy. Fever, sore throat, tight  
chest and cruddy coughs are sure  
symptoms. A dose of Dr. Bell's Pine  
Tar Honey will loosen the phlegm, re-  
lieve the congested lungs and stop the  
cough. Its antiseptic pine balsams  
heal and soothe. For croup, whooping  
cough and chronic bronchial troubles  
try Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. At  
all Druggists, 25c.

Bargaining has neither friends nor  
relatives.

### Sloan's Liniment For Stiff Joints.

Rheumatic pains and aches get into  
the joints and muscles, making every  
movement torture. Relieve your suf-  
fering with Sloan's Liniment; it quickly  
penetrates without rubbing, sooth-  
es and warms your sore muscles. The  
congested blood is stimulated to ac-  
tion; a single application will drive  
out the pain. Sloan's Liniment is  
clean, convenient and quickly effec-  
tive; it does not stain the skin or clog  
the pores. Get a bottle to-day at  
your Druggist, 25c.

Keep flax from fire, youth from  
gaming.

### Painful Coughs Relieved.

Dr. King's New Discovery is a sooth-  
ing, healing remedy for coughs and  
colds that has stood the test of nearly  
fifty years. For that cough that  
strains the throat and saps the vitality  
try Dr. King's New Discovery.

The soothing pine balsams and mild  
laxative ingredients soon drive the  
cold from the system. Have a bottle  
on hand for winter colds, croup,  
croup and bronchial affections. At  
your Druggist, 50c.

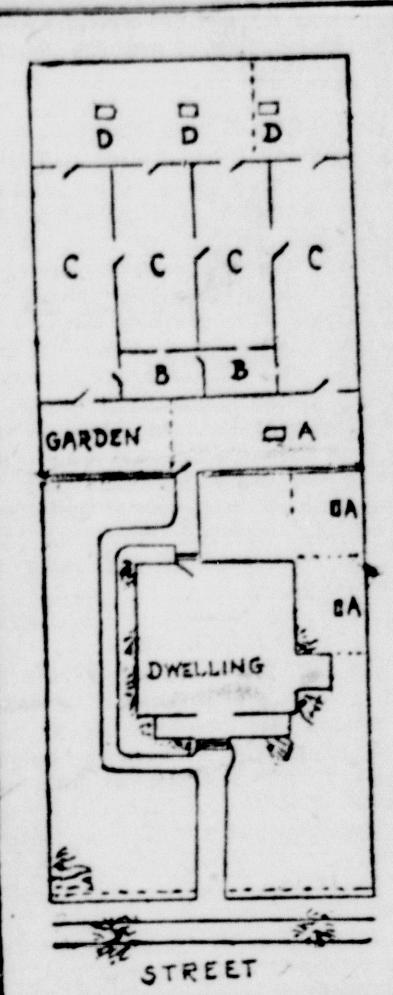
Let thy maid-servant be faithful,  
strong, and homely.

## Poultry Keeping On Small Town Lot

By F. W. KAZMEIER,  
Poultry Husbandman, Texas A. and M.  
Extension Department.

It certainly is true that poultry rais-  
ing on a small town lot can be made  
to pay. It may also lead to something  
better. Many salaried men realize that  
some day they will be too old to hold  
down their job. They will see some  
younger man taking their place. It is  
then that many of these think of going  
into the poultry business on a small  
scale, just large enough to make a  
comfortable living. It is easily under-  
stood how much surer these people  
would be of success if they had a little  
previous experience to fall back on.

It is true that city lot poultry keep-  
ing requires closer attention to details  
and sanitary measures than farm  
poultry keeping. It is also true that a  
flock of chickens in a dirty backyard  
are not pleasing to look at nor very  
profitable. On the other hand, a pure-  
bred flock of chickens in a comfortable  
and sanitary house and clean yard are  
a beautiful sight and substantially  
profitable. They will turn much waste  
into dollars and cents. Such a flock  
and such a flock alone will make it



A—Movable colony brooder house  
and yard. B—Laying pens. C—Yards  
for laying pens. D—Colony houses for  
growing stock.

possible to have fresh eggs any and at  
all times. Fresh eggs are in reality  
very hard to get, and unless you have  
a small flock of hens you perhaps not  
very often get the real fresh eggs.

The greatest difficulties in connection  
with back-lot poultry keeping are the  
prevention of contamination of the  
land and the keeping up of the vigor  
of the stock. The former can only be  
prevented by proper rotation and  
planting to crops. The latter may be  
done by introducing new blood occa-  
sionally or by having the breeding  
stock each year reared under farm  
conditions. Most all city or town peo-  
ple have a few farmer friends that  
would be glad to raise some of their  
pure-bred poultry on halves.

For a good arrangement of a town  
poultry plant see the accompanying  
figure. A shows the movable colony  
brooder houses for small chicks. The  
place used for garden one year may  
the next year be used to grow the  
chicks and the garden put where  
chicks were the year before. B shows  
laying house, 14 by 40, divided in two  
pens, each large enough to accommo-  
date about 75 laying hens. It will be  
noticed that to each of these pens is  
attached two yards, C. This makes it  
possible to use one yard for a garden  
one year and the next year the other.  
This system of yarding keeps the  
ground sweet at all times, and makes  
it possible to grow wonderful garden  
crops without buying any commercial  
fertilizer. D shows the movable colo-  
ny houses for the growing stock. One  
of these houses may be used as a cock-  
erel house. These yards should be cul-  
tivated when not in use or planted to  
some crops once a year to prevent  
their becoming contaminated.

A plant of this size properly taken  
care of can be made to bring in a  
profit over all expenses except labor,  
of from \$300 to \$400. After several  
years improved breeding, gradually  
working into the breeding of high-bred  
stock, either for egg production or for  
the show, there is no telling to what  
extent such a plant may be worked.

Remember, to make a success on such  
a plant it is highly important to keep  
the stock healthy, strong and vigor-  
ous, and to prevent the contamination  
of the ground.

### Rocks Waste Away in Desert.

The rocks in a desert are said to  
waste away even more rapidly than  
those exposed to continuous water ero-  
sion, an example being southwestern  
deserts where the change of tempera-  
ture from 125 degrees at noon to 70  
or so at night causes stone to crumble  
rapidly under the extremes of expan-  
sion and contraction.

## Mother's Cook Book

If I were hanged on the highest hill,  
Mother o' mine, O mother o' mine.  
I know whose love would follow me still,  
Mother o' mine, O mother o' mine.  
—R. Kipling.

### More Timely Dishes.

Avoid getting into ruts in serving  
the family menu. When the same  
food must be often served, see that  
it appears in different forms, combi-  
nations, seasoning and garnishing,  
then it will seem like different food.

### Creamed Artichokes.

This delicious vegetable is easily  
grown, and adds another dish to the  
menu. Melt three tablespoonsfuls of  
butter in a saucier, add one-half  
cupful of cracker crumbs, one table-  
spoonful of chopped parsley, one-  
fourth of a teaspoonful of salt, pep-  
rika and nutmeg to taste; add two  
cupfuls of diced artichokes, and cook  
for a moment, then add one and a  
fourth cupfuls of cream. When boil-  
ing, add a teaspoonful of lemon juice  
and the grated rind of half a lemon.

### Southern Pone.

Pare and core a dozen tart apples  
and place them in a pudding dish.  
Scald four cupfuls of milk, add a pint  
of cornmeal, cook until smooth, then  
add a teaspoonful of salt, one cupful  
each of molasses and finely chopped  
suet. Sift flour over the top to make  
a crust after it has baked a while.  
Bake two or three hours.

### Roast Turkey.

Select an eight or ten-pound turkey,  
see that the breast is plump, the legs  
pliable and the flesh of good color.  
Draw and singe and draw the tendons  
from the legs. Thoroughly scrub in-  
side and out with soda water and a  
small vegetable brush, being careful  
not to break the skin. Wipe well and  
stuff. Sprinkle with flour and salt,  
and place in a hot oven. Baste every  
15 minutes the first hour of roasting,  
using butter and water, after that the  
juices in the pan will be sufficient.  
Place the turkey breast down, and  
you will find it has a much better  
flavor. Turn the bird and cover the  
breast with butter to brown. If a rich  
brown crust is desired, use twice as  
much butter as flour, and spread it on  
the turkey. The giblets should be  
simmered in water until tender, and  
the neck also. This is used to add to  
the gravy after chopping the meat  
very fine.

### Chestnut Stuffing.

Blanch a pound of the large chest-  
nuts, boil until tender and put  
through a ricer. Add a cupful of  
bread crumbs, one-half cupful of butter,  
one and a half tablespoonsfuls of  
poultry dressing, one-half cupful of  
raisins, salt pepper, celery salt and  
a bit of sugar; mix thoroughly and  
stuff the fowl the day before, to save  
time when other foods must be made  
ready.

It is science pure and simple, and  
so is the old maxim, "The farther the  
sight the better the rain." It is not  
pessimism that makes people along  
the coast predict a downpour when  
they can pick out the separate houses  
on a far-away island or people in  
mountain regions call it "too good to  
last" when a distant peak, generally  
invisibly, comes into view. They are  
shrewd, meteorologists in making  
these predictions, and also in declar-  
ing that sounds carry better when a  
rainstorm is brewing.

## Loving Mother

Mind when I see a little chap  
Sits about a chair all day high,  
Used to climb in mother's lap  
Every ev'ning' mighty high.  
"Allus called me her 'best beau,'"  
Mother did, an' laughed, an' dad  
Used t' frown an' fluster so  
Fixin' like he's awful mad!

Used t' like t' stroke her head  
Like a youngun' allus does.  
"Lovin' her," I allus said—  
"Pappy loves," she said it was;  
But the same, there's many a tear  
Cried over her lips when she  
Bared me whisper in her ear,  
"She's the sweetest girl for me."

Sweetest girl of all, I swan!  
Mebbe now it's out o' place,  
One of my years takin' on  
Showin' to her mommies yet—  
Longin' for her love again—  
Mebbe better jist forget  
Things I said to mother then.

But I can't! There's times that I  
Feel I'm just a wanderer  
Lookin' low an' lookin' high  
Just with hopes o' findin' her;  
Want to hear her voice an' then  
Plead with her t' not forget—  
Tell her I'm a boy again,  
An' the same opinion yet!

—Buffalo Evening Times.

## STAR OF THE MOVIES



Earle Williams.

Matinee idol of the film world, who is featured in "The Scarlet Runner," a recent release.

## Lot of the Poor Peasant In Roumania Is Hard One

From time to time, since 1840, the Roumanian government has divided the land among the peasants. This land, then, must remain in the family. As families increase, however, this partition becomes less and less sufficient for the clan, and there is nothing left for some of them to do but to take service out. That is putting one in the hands of the manor-lord or big steward. The usual method is to assign the peasant a section of the manorial lands, to be tilled by himself and his family, and oxen on "halves" of the crop. Over 70 per cent of the people are illiterate, however, owing to laxity in the enforcement of the compulsory school laws; and so it requires no very great degree to fleece them out of their proper shares.

Should the man complain, no work will be given him the next year; and in some of the villages round Gradobou one sees peasants, half-starved, loafing in the little inns and gossiping, not because unwilling to work, but because there is absolutely nothing for them to do; and they have no money to emigrate elsewhere.

On what the peasant does get, moreover, the taxes are exorbitant. A village mayor receives a salary of but \$1 a year in order that he may be forced to live from one-tenth of the yield of his commune, and so see to it that everything is actually listed. Where a peasant has managed to scrape together something, it means for him an additional tax.—Christian Herald.

## Around the World.

Spain has been practicing irrigation for more than a century, its first canal having been begun in 1814.

To judge horse-races a Frenchman invented a camera that is operated by a whining horse breaking a thread. John Malmberg of Manchester, N. H., has such large strawberries that fill a box. Some of them are 6½ inches in circumference, while most of them are more than four inches around.

New branches of the Russian-American chamber of commerce have been opened in Kief and Odessa, thereby making it possible for American manufacturers to get into direct connection with southwestern Russia.

The manufacture of wooden shoes in the Netherlands has expanded rapidly since the beginning of the war. Quantities of these shoes are being exported to Germany, where they are becoming popular on account of the scarcity of leather.

In Providence, R. I., is a barber shop in which the five barbers average nearly 30 years' service each—Joseph Lucy, the proprietor, 50 years; Edward Hunt, 34 years; Peter Misho, 29 years; Napoleon Loiselle, 24 years, and Paul Misho, 11 years. The shop was established in 1866, and some of its first customers are still patronizing it.

## Grand Trunk Road of Northern India Wonder Highway of the World

Search where you will you will find no highway in the whole world so romantic as the Grand Trunk road of India. A stately avenue of three roads in one—the center of hard metal, the roads on each side ankle-deep in silvery dust—fringed by double rows of trees, it runs for 1,400 miles through the vast northern plain which skirts the Himalayas, from Calcutta to far Peshawar, which keeps sentinel at the gate of Afghanistan.

From horizon to horizon it stretches like a broad white ribbon, as seemingly straight as it is traced by a gigantic ruler. And dotted along its entire length are hundreds of wayside rest-houses, each with its arched and tiered gateway.

For 3,000 years the Himalayas have looked down on this road and have seen it as they see it today. It was the world's greatest highway before Rome was cradled. Alexander the Great led his Greeks along it to the conquest of northern India; and Buddha himself took his daily walks along it centuries before Christ was born.

It has seen 100 generations of men come and go; yet today it is, to the eye, exactly the same as in the long-gone years when Nineveh was a proud city and our own ancestors gnawed bones in their caves.

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Plenty of clean, dry litter in the scratching shed is essential if you would keep the hens busy and expect lots of eggs.

When the shells break easily and collapse in the nest they need lime. It is sometimes necessary to feed bone meal in the mash.

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## Many Strange Methods of Telling Time Are Used

To ascertain the time at night, the Apache Indians employed a gourd on which the stars of the heavens were marked. As the constellations rose in the sky, the Indian referred to his gourd and found out the hour. By turning the gourd around he could tell the order in which the constellations might be expected to appear.

The hill people of Assam reckon time and distance by the number of quids of betelnuts chewed. It will be remembered how, according to Washington Irving, the Dutch colonial assembly was invariably disposed of at the last puff of the third pipe of tobacco of Governor Wouter Van Twiller.

A Metagnis Indian of Canada will set up a tall stick in the snow when traveling ahead of friends who are to follow. He marks off with his foot the line of shadow cast, and by the change in the angle of the shadow the oncoming party can tell, on arriving at the spot, about how far ahead the leader is.

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## Sunshine in All Buildings.

As a general sanitary principle, it is desirable that all dwellings, stables, etc., should be so constructed that an abundance of sunshine can reach their interiors.

## Atmospheric Interference With Messages Only Problem Of Wireless Still Unsolved

The matter of atmospheric interference with the transmission of wireless messages is the only great problem of long-distance radio-telegraphy which remains unsolved today. The earlier difficulties, such as securing reliable and efficient generating plants for transmitting stations and devising sensitive, yet dependable and selective, receiving apparatus, have been solved nearly, if not quite, to the satisfaction of engineers working in the field. But discrimination between signal waves, which it is desired to have recorded at the receiving station, and stray, or parasitic, waves due to natural electrical disturbances whose effects must be suppressed, has not been entirely successful.

It is true that radio-telegraphers today are able to signal far greater distances without severe interference from "static," as the natural disturbance is often called, than in previous years. This is partly the result of using larger powered transmitters, but mainly depends upon the development of several effective atmospheric reducing methods.

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## Why the Rainstorm Follows the Thunder and Lightning

Why does a heavy downpour of rain often follow a clap of thunder? Not as is popularly believed, because the thunder jolts the cloud particles together into raindrops. In the violent turmoil between the positive and negative electricity in a thundercloud there will be places where the production of drops, by condensation, and their subsequent breaking up proceeds more rapidly than elsewhere. Hence in these places there will be more drops to fall as rain, and also more electrification, the rainfall occurring about the same time as the flash. We have, then, starting toward the earth at the same time, light, sound, and raindrops. The light, traveling at a speed of about 186,000 feet per second, reaches us almost instantly. The sound travels far more slowly—about 1,030 feet per second—but the rain falls much slower still. Thus we observe, first, the lightning, then the thunder, and then rain.—Popular Science Monthly.

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